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For: IMAGE RECORDING METHOD)	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The present application is a divisional of the Patent Application No. 08/874,665 filed June 13, 1997. Prior to an initial examination of the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--For enabling an optimum picture to be produced from a holographic stereogram, it is necessary to completely fix a recording medium for hologram during light exposure of the recording image to prevent minute vibrations even of the order of the lightwave. During production of the holographic stereogram, the recording medium for hologram is moved little by little for